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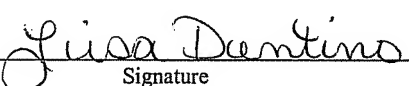
**AMENDMENT AND ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action in the form of a Restriction Requirement, dated July 31, 2008, in connection with the above-referenced application. In view of the following amendments and remarks, reconsideration of the Restriction Requirement is respectfully requested. As August 31, 2008 fell on a Sunday, and Monday, September 1, 2008 was a Federal Holiday, this submission is timely filed on Tuesday, September 2, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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